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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents,
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Preliminary to examination kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Title:

Change the title to --Method for Transformation of Interface Definitions and Intermediate Format Tables Thereof--.

In the Translated Specification:

Page 1, top, delete "Description".

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